

Coyle Theatre Tomorrow Blanche Walsh in Tolstoy's "Resurrection" (4 Reels) "When Uncle Sam Was Young" Business (2 Reels) Saturday Admission 5 Cents.

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ONE CENT

BEAVER MARCHING CLUB TO COME FOR BIG RALLY

Organization From Another County to be Represented

EVENT TO BE BIG ONE

Pittsburg Delegation May Also be Present for Republican Demonstration

Word has been received by the committee in charge of the big Republican rally to be held here Wednesday of next week, October 30, that the Beaver County Marching Club, will come here to take part in the parade. This club will have some uniform insignia, and will muster from 150 to 200 strong. Their presence will materially add to the appearance of the parade.

It is also possible that the Young Men's Tariff Club and the American Club of Pittsburg will be present. The latter, it will be remembered, was here on the occasion of the opening of Governor Tener's gubernatorial campaign, and occupied a conspicuous place in the parade. Headed by Mayor Magee of Pittsburg, the club attracted wide attention. Both these Pittsburg clubs have been invited, and a strong effort will be made to secure their attendance. It is not yet definitely known whether or not they will be present, but hopes are entertained that they will accept and turn out in forces at what will be the biggest rally of the entire Monongahela valley.

This far the committee is able to announce that the speaking staff will include Governor J. K. Tener, Adjutant General Thos. J. Stewart and Senator W. E. Crow of Uniontown. A speaker of national reputation is also to be secured, but the committee that is working on this matter has not yet been able to make definite arrangements, but expects soon to be able to make the announcement.

Everything is working out nicely. Word has been received from numerous localities that big crowds will be out in force. County Chairman C. E. Crothers is co-operating and a big delegation from the county seat and intervening points will be on hand to take part in the big Charleroi rally a week hence.

FLAGS AND BIBLES GIFTS OF JUNIOR ORDER MECHANICS

The Junior and Senior orders of the United American Mechanics of California and Coal Centre are presenting to the schools of Newell and East Pike Run township flags and bibles. Each school will receive a large flag, and a teacher's edition bible for each room. The first presentation will take place at Newell this week when a flag and bibles will be presented to the Newell schools.

Pathé Weekly Tonight.

Tonight the Pathé Weekly Bulletin appears at the Palace Theatre. This pictorial review of world-wide events is a great education, and is one of the most popular features presented at the Palace.

Black Hand Is Blamed

Attempt Made at Newell to Rid Community of Italian and His Family

Authorities at Newell are making investigations into an attempt that was made Monday night at 11 o'clock to blow up the home of Tony Henney at that place. The work is supposed to have been done by the Black Hand society. A bomb was placed under the porch and fired. The porch and a door of the house were blown off. There was no one seriously injured although the members of the family were given a severe shock. People all over the town heard the reverberation.

OYSTER EXPRESS LATEST

Special Train to be Run Between Baltimore and Pittsburg

PREPARING FOR TRADE

A through freight train to be known as the "oyster special" will be run over the Western Maryland railroad from Baltimore to Pittsburg. This train will be made up largely of refrigerator and express cars, and is installed chiefly for the purpose of bringing the festive bivalve from Baltimore to Pittsburg in short order. The American Express company will take advantage of the oyster special to install an express service at the same time, which will greatly facilitate the service between Pittsburg and Baltimore. The oyster special will be installed October 26.

The Western Maryland railroad makes connection with the P. & L. E. road at Connellsville, and the connecting link from Connellsville to Cumberland was completed this year. As soon as practicable a through passenger service will be installed between Pittsburg and Baltimore.

Hospital Fund Gets \$17,248.

In the week's whirlwind campaign for funds conducted in Canonsburg, which came to a close Monday evening, the sum of \$17,248 was realized. The objective sum was \$15,000, and this mark was exceeded. H. M. Landefeld of Monongahela had charge of the campaign. The money will be used in extending and improving the Canonsburg hospital.

To Organize Local Company.

A meeting will be held in Donora this evening for the purpose of organizing a local telephone company in that town. It will be known as the Donora Telephone company, and already considerable stock has been subscribed.

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MANY VALLEY PEOPLE HEAR COMMONER SPEAK

Special Train Run to Uniontown to Hear W. J. Bryan's Speech--Charleroi Band Leads Fayette City Delegation

A train load of Monongahela valley people went to Uniontown Tuesday night to hear William J. Bryan, the man who is considered the greatest orator of the age. A special was run from Monongahela to Uniontown making stops at the larger places. By the time this train got to the Fayette as usual, the car was packed. The local delegation watched the parade which was convincing lampooned both Col. Roosevelt and Taft, the former because of his third party aspirations, and the latter because from a Democratic standpoint, he hadn't exactly made good in the Presidential chair. Gov. Woodrow Wilson represents in Bryan said he was having the time of his life touring Pennsylvania.

CHORAL SOCIETY ORGANIZES; TO TAKE UP MUSIC

Preliminaries Are Gone Through Towards Perfecting Organization

A reorganization of the Charleroi Choral Society which gave a concert preceding the convention of the Washington County Sunday School association here last June, was effected at a meeting held Tuesday evening in the First Christian church. Plans were laid for the future. Officers elected were as follows: President, J. C. Roberts; vice president, Floyd Chalfant; secretary, Miss Helen Woodhall; treasurer, Dr. C. C. Wright; assistant secretary, Miss Clara Cooper.

Arrangements were made for the next meeting to be held in the Baptist church next Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, when further matters incident to organization will be taken up. Prof. I. T. Daniel is to be the director of the society.

It is the intention of the choral society to take up music in preparation for a concert to be given soon after the first of the year. Probably two concerts in the one season will be attempted.

MINISTERS PAY COMPLIMENT TO REV. L. JONES

Rev. J. T. Hackett was re-elected president and Rev. F. A. Richards secretary of the Charleroi Ministerial association at a meeting Tuesday afternoon. A resolution was adopted as a token of appreciation to Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor of the St. James A. M. E. church who is soon to take his departure for Erie where he was transferred at the last conference of his church. The resolution was as follows:

"Whereas, The Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal church of Charleroi has been a member of the Ministerial Association of Charleroi for two years and is leaving our city for Erie, Pa., we desire to place on record our appreciation of him as a co-worker, a Christian gentleman, and worthy minister of Jesus Christ. We also desire to express our hearty wishes for his welfare and prosperity in the new field of labor upon which he enters."

J. T. Hackett, president.

F. A. Richards, secretary.

"Signed on behalf of the Charleroi Ministerial Association,
Charleroi, Pa., October 22, 1912."

As a further token of appreciation Rev. Jones was presented with 10 volumes of books.

SATURDAY NIGHT

Oatman's Saturday social dance, Micht's Auditorium. Dancing 8 o'clock. Oatman's Dancing School at the Assembly Hall, Monessen Friday nights. Class 7:30. Dancing at 8:30.

MAKING TESTS OF MATERIALS FOR HIGHWAYS

State Department Conducting Experiments in the Interests of Good Roads

In preparation for the launching of a comprehensive and practical road building campaign, following the expected popular approval of a \$50,000,000 bond issue to finance the great work, the State Highway Department for 15 months has been engaged in thoroughly testing out methods of construction and materials for road foundation body and top dressing. A far reaching investigation also has been made into the road building work of the national government and various states. As a result the department is today in possession of the best first hand information available anywhere.

These researches in Pennsylvania have been more thorough than have ever before been made by a similar department. Instead of depending entirely on laboratory tests and analysis the policy has been to use the different methods and materials in actual construction of sections of road where they would be subjected to various kinds of usages and wear. Thus the different types of road have been tested by actual use in farming and manufacturing districts as well as for their resistance of the peculiar wear and tear of the ever increasing automobile travel.

In this manner has been worked out the best method for each locality in which main state roads are to be built, and it is believed that by use of the best adopted materials, local supplies so as employed where feasible, the new highways will stand up under automobile traffic and at the same time not present too hard a surface for farmers teams. A lasting durable surface which will give the state value for its money and at the same time enable maintenance with a minimum of repair expense has been the object. The time is rapidly approaching when the use of the automobile will be general in hauling farm produce, and in addition to providing for general motor travel and horses consideration has to be given to the heavy trucks which are coming into use on farms.

Sentiment for the ratification of the proposed \$50,000,000 bond issue for roads is growing rapidly in rural communities as the benefits to be derived are becoming apparent. It is a notable fact that good roads are included in the platforms of practically all the legislative candidates. Those who are to be elected next month will vote in the legislature next winter on the resolution to submit the bond issue to the people of the state.

Hallowe'en Social.

An evening meeting room Saturday evening, October 26, with a witchy old witch and a Hallowe'en lunch. Philothea Class of Washington Avenue P. S. S. 73-13

DISTRICT CONVENTION

NEXT EVENT IN ORDER

Round Table To Organize

Sunday School Workers to Convene Here on Sunday

PROGRAM IS OUTLINED

Rev. H. N. Cameron, of Washington to be Chief Speaker at Local Affair

Two sessions, afternoon at 2 o'clock and evening at 7:30 will be held by the Charleroi district. Washington County Sabbath School association in its annual convention at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday. The program includes a discussion of "Agriculture in the High School" by J. M. McKee, expert agriculturist; for Washington county; "Course of History for the Grades," to be opened by the committee on the course of study.

HARD AT WORK ON NEW ROAD

Contractors for State Pushing Lincoln Avenue Paving

START TO LAY BRICK

Good progress is now being made on the State road improvement of the Lincoln avenue extension in the borough of which Hastings & Piper are the contractors. A large force of men are at work under the direction of W. H. Riggle and bricklaying was begun this week on the end at the borough line.

Except in two places where large fills are necessary the cement curbing on both sides has been completed. The fills are in the center, where the roadbed had to be extended and the end joining Lincoln avenue. The specifications of the road call for a 15-foot brick road with cement curbing. The bed between the curbing is composed of five inches of concrete, on which is laid an inch and a half of sand, as a bed for the brick, which come flush with the top of the curbing. On the outside of the curbing on each side a fill of crushed stone is made, grouted with cement. This is sloping, and gives an entire roadway of 26 feet in width.

With good weather for a few weeks yet, the contractors expect to have the road well along toward completion by the time cold weather sets in.

When complete it will be one of the most substantial roads in the whole section.

Blanche Walsh Tomorrow.

Much interest is manifested in the appearance of Blanche Walsh, the eminent actress in moving pictures at the Coyle Theatre tomorrow evening. She appears in "The Resurrection," which is dramatized from the great work of Tolstoy.

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ENFORCING THE LAW.

It was General Grant who said that
the way to get rid of an obnoxious
law was to enforce it. If this were
done in every instance in this country,
there would not be so many attempts
to evade the law or the systematic
excuses that are going at all times.

This is always apparent when at-
tempts are made to enforce the so-
called Blue Laws governing the ob-
servance of Sunday in this State.

Nearly every community takes a
"whirl" at this at regularly stated in-
tervals, only to find that while nearly
all are in favor of the laws the most

of the people are "agin" their enforce-
ment. Consequently the attempts
are abandoned, as the consistent en-
forcement entails too much trouble

and inconvenience upon society. Mon-
ongahela is just now undergoing one
of these periodic attempts, which is

having the effect of engendering sec-
tional feeling and strife, without a
strict enforcement of the law.

That the so-called Blue Laws are
antiquated and out of date and do
not fit a modern application all will
agree, but every attempt to repeal or
modify them has met with a storm of

protest, so that few legislators care
to incur the hostility of the public in
working for a revision. As a result
the laws stand only to be openly vi-
olated year after year by practically

every inhabitant of the state, and to
afford an example to the public that
laws may be set aside at will. If

these laws were strictly and rigidly
enforced to the letter everywhere in

the state for one year, the public
would rise up unanimously and de-
mand a special session of the legis-
lature for their modification. These

laws could be modified to an extent
that would still preserve the proper
observance of Sunday without mak-
ing of every person a violator of the

law of the state. When one law or
set of laws can be set aside at will,
many people are apt to think others

may also be violated.

LAVING THE FOUNDATION.

While many of the county roads
approved by the grand jury of the
county may not be improved in the
near future, they must come sooner

than these approvals can be set aside,
but must be carried out as soon as the
county is able to finance the con-
struction. With the many roads that

have been taken over by the county
and constructed, Washington
County will be in a position to

Our Moving Picture Show



She eloped with a stranger gay,
Who went the accustomed way;
So back to the farm
With her child on her arm
To be forgiven she wandered one day.

Watch this space tomorrow

WHAT TAFT HAS NOT DONE

(From the Baltimore Star, Rep.)
He never signed a round robin.
He never tried to muzzle the press.
He never organized an Ananias club.
He never compared himself to Lincoln.
He never organized a Bull Moose party.
He never advocated the recall of judges.
He never capitalized his hunting prowess.
He never disgraced the general of the army.
He never tried to dictate terms to the Vatican.
He never had a Wall Street tainted money backer.
He never told Great Britain how to govern Egypt.
He never encouraged muckraking or muck rakers.
He never played the drum major to attract a following.
He never turned traitor to the party that honored him.
He never imagined himself the whole Republican party.
He never humiliated an admiral after a brilliant victory.

He never brought the administration of the harvester trust.

He never caused a printing office to run out of capital "I's."

He never favored a government by ME for ME and of NE.

He never questioned the authority of the Supreme Court.

He never said, "If they want the sword they shall have it."

He never insulted prominent citizens by calling them liars.

He never was a radical in the West and a conservative in the East.

He never was accused of appropriating to himself ideas launched by Bryan.

He never marched up to a national convention and then marched down again.

He never instructed the Attorney-General of the United States to halt a trust prosecution suit.

He never thought that association with himself would turn a corrupt political "boss" into a party "leader."

He never tried to fool all of the people some of the time, nor some of the people all of the time, nor all of the people all the time.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

That comparatively few people in
moderate circumstances audit or keep
track of their private accounts, or
know exactly what they buy or
whether they get all they pay for, is
evidenced by a statement made the
other day by a former accountant for
a large Pittsburgh firm. What he re-
vealed ought to be an eye opener to
those who are beginning to feel the
pinch of the high cost of living, and
emphasize the importance of check-
ing up on everything that is purchased.

"The firm I was with," said the nar-
rator, "was a large milk establish-
ment, which conducted both a whole-
sale and retail business. On the re-
tail routes each driver of a wagon
was given a certain amount of milk
which according to the system of the
firm, was charged up to him, and for
which he was responsible. As was
to be expected, some of these drivers
got balled up in their accounts every
day, and were often short in their
accountings. If after a reasonable
amount of effort to straighten out
the account the deficiency could not
be found, it was charged up to some
wealthy customer.

"This might seem to be a crooked
way of doing business, but in reality
it was not so bad as might appear.
Like all other business firms in large
cities, the milk firm had hundreds of
wealthy customers who were the
slowest pay of all their patrons.

These were liberal buyers, who paid
no attention to monthly statements,
and got mortally offended if any at-
tempt was made to collect their bills.

"They speak of certain dances as in-
terpretations. Some—not all—inter-
pretations need interpreting.

Same Old Story.
He walked on the track one day
And his remains strewed the right of
way.

The coroner's ju-
ry the fragments did view,
Their verdict was "nothing to pay."

An automobile standing still is a
dangerous thing. A man had his
arm broken cranking one.

The warm lover of courtship days
sometimes fails when it comes to
providing coal for the cook stove—

Scanton Tribune.

They are trying to convince people
that Penrose has bolted the Repub-
lican party. (Not an advertisement—
a joke.)

The logical heir to any estate is
the lawyer.

Collier's Weekly has come out for
Col. Roosevelt. Well, it had to come
out for somebody, so what's the dif-
ference.

Some of the worst character assas-
sins are church members.

It takes a man who is not a mem-
ber of church to solve the church
problems correctly.

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and see what a good time you will
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ber 23. All are welcome. 772

Buy a lot in Lock View Terrace at
the auction sale of lots October 25
and 26. 77-23

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Even a Free Trade Paper Sees the Point!

(New York Evening Post, Oct. 16.)
Any indication that campaign ap-
peals to the people are based on the
assumption of a high degree of intelli-
gence in the electorate must be wel-
come to patriotic citizens irrespective
of party preference. It is for this rea-
son that we have taken such keen
pleasure in observing that one of the
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sion. The voter is simply confronted
with the incontrovertible fact that
during the whole three years and six
months of Mr. Taft's presidency there
has been no financial panic. He is left
to do his own thinking. Could any-
thing show a more sublime confidence
in the intelligence of the public? The
Taft managers know that a word to
the wise is sufficient. The voter will
say to himself: "Why has there been
no panic since 1907? Is it not custom-
ary for such things to happen in
rapid succession? Would there not
have been another panic in 1910 if
Roosevelt had been President, and
probably one regularly every year if
the terrible Democrats had been in
power? The man that saved us from
these calamities is surely entitled to
my vote." If Taft is not elected after
this what encouragement will there be
for the use of such arguments in
future elections?

recommend it highly.

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WHAT'S THE REASON

Many Charleroi People in Poor Health

Without Knowing the Cause.

There are scores of people who
drag out a miserable existence with-
out realizing the cause of their suf-
fering. Day after day they are
racked with backache and headache;
suffer from nervousness, dizziness,
weakness, languor and depression.
Likely the kidneys have fallen behind
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eral years ago for disordered kidneys
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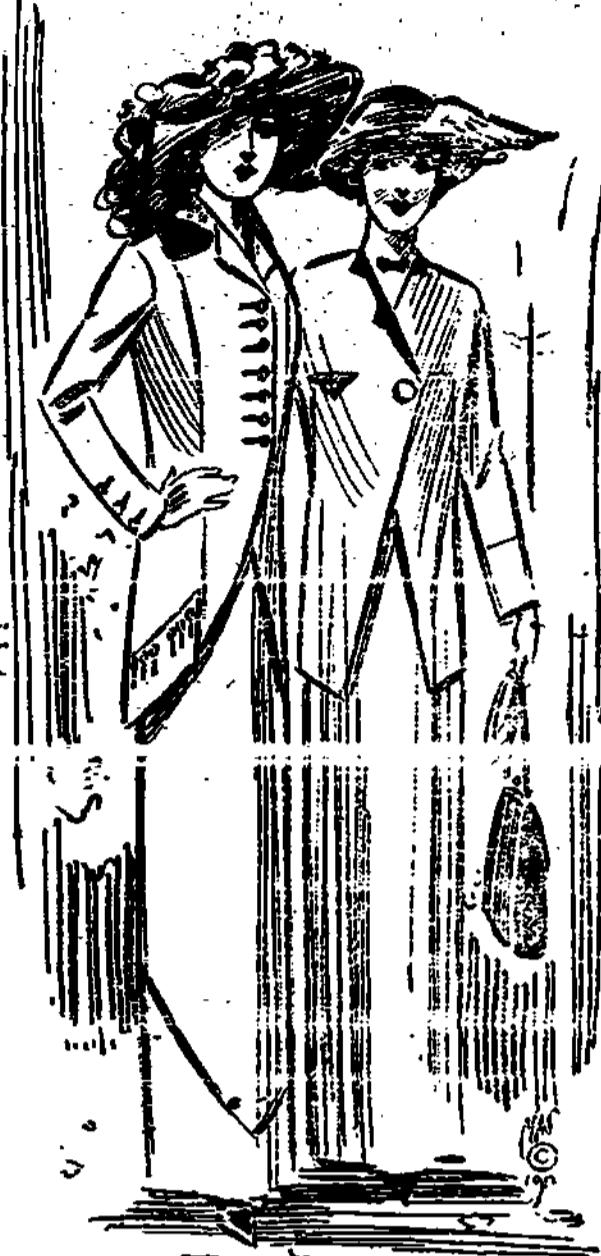
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SCORES POLITICAL NOSTRUMS

Recall of Judges a Menace to Independence of Judiciary—Declares That Attacks on the Integrity of His Nomination Are Baseless and Vicious.

President Taft discusses the issues of the present campaign in the "Saturday Evening Post." He takes his stand squarely on the issue that with him rested the responsibility of maintaining the high standard set up in the records of his party and of carrying out those policies of his predecessors which he declares have made good government and Republicanism synonymous.

The greater part of his argument, which is the first of three to be written by the chief candidates for the presidency, is devoted to a review of tariff legislation during his administration and to the reasons for opposing the bills set before him for a reduction of schedules before they had been investigated by the tariff board.

He says he signed the Payne tariff bill because, above all, it provided the machinery by which alone, in his opinion, a just and intelligent revision of the tariff could be effected; because it gave the executive power through maximum and minimum rates to get proper treatment for American products from foreign nations; because it imposed a tax on corporations and paved the way for government insight into their operations; because it provided a means of collecting revenue quickly in case of emergency; because it granted a larger measure of justice to the Filipinos, and finally because it did provide for a material reduction in tariff rates, not so much of a reduction as he would have liked to get, but as much as he believed it was possible to obtain without the machinery of the tariff board which the law created. He disapproved of the tariff bills since passed because he saw in them a menace to the American workman.

Coming to those measures of his administration which have been passed in the interests of social justice, the president sets down first the railway rate bill, which he describes as the logical development of the policy embodied in the Hepburn act. It gave authority to the interstate commerce commission in many details that had been lacking and added powers of supervision over express companies, telegraph, telephone and cable lines. It authorized the institution of investigations of rates before formal complaint had been made the protection of water lines from unfair competition, and enacted a long and short haul clause that has proved valuable to many communities.

President Taft asserts that his trust policy has been firm, consistent and effective in spite of the enmity of those business interests which he knew it would arouse. He points out that forty-four cases against trusts were instituted during the seven and one-half years that Mr. Roosevelt was President, while during the less than four years of his own administration twenty-two civil suits and forty-five criminal indictments have been brought.

To what he styles the nominal recall of judges and of judicial opinions the President is firmly opposed, holding them a menace to the independence of the judiciary.

"As we listen to the demagogic or fawning reformers," he says, "let us not forget that votes are not bread, constitutional amendments are not work, referendums do not pay rent or furnish homes, recalls do not provide clothing, initiatives do not supply employment or relieve inequality of condition or opportunity. For any definite plans from those who advocate innovations which will promote equality of opportunity and ameliorate hardships we listen in vain."

As to the Chicago convention, the President declares that no consideration of party weal or personal ambition would tempt him to stand as a presidential candidate did he not know that the attacks upon the integrity of his nomination are baseless as they are vicious.

Extract from statement of Mr. Roosevelt, dated Nov. 8, 1904:

"On the 4th day of March next I shall have served three and one-half years and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

"What Washington would not do, and Grant could not get to do, even then."

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NO EXCUSE THIS TIME

The Past Shows That Democratic Success and National Disaster Are Inseparable.

For those who voted into power a Democratic low tariff administration twenty years ago there was the excuse that they had no lesson of experience to warn them from their course. More than thirty years had passed since the enactment of a protective tariff, industries were flourishing, wages rising and the treasury had a considerable surplus. There was a feeling that Cleveland had not been accorded a fair opportunity to prove that a "tariff for revenue only" would benefit the country, and while the issue was still in the balance came a desperate labor struggle, amounting to a local war to inflame the public mind and evoke a demand for some action on the part of the national government to curb the power of large corporations. The Sherman law, enacted by the Republican Congress, and signed by President Harrison July 2, 1890, was in force, but its powers had not been invoked, and its scope had not been determined by the highest judicial authority. Mr. Cleveland's supporters argued that natural reversion of the tariff would restrain corporate greed and prove a cure-all for economic evils. Mr. Cleveland himself took substantially this ground in his inaugural address.

The facts of history are that the tariff was reduced to a revenue basis, the Sherman law remained dormant, capital strayed from investment, factories were closed or ran on short time, business languished because very few had money to buy, prices went down for the same reason, the farmer could not sell his produce, and hundreds of thousands of unemployed workers had to live on the savings of former prosperity or if they had no savings, on charity. A large number of the unemployed formed what was known as "Coxey's army" and marched to Washington to demand relief.

Such were the conditions under the Democratic administration, and the people waited longingly and repentingly for that four years to pass. Knowing that modified free trade had proved a failure, the Democrats offered free silver as their next panacea, but the people would have none of it and when 1896 came Republican rule and Republican policies were voted in with a whoop.

Fifteen years have passed since a protective tariff was restored in 1897. Under President Taft the nation has achieved a height of prosperity far exceeding any in the past. Every legitimate industry is active, wages are higher than ever before, and the savings banks teem with thousands of millions of dollars of the wage earners' money. The Sherman act has been and is being enforced against every violator, and important legislation has been enacted for the greater protection of employees of public service corporations within the jurisdiction of federal authority.

With the lesson of the last Democratic administration before the people a step backward in the same direction would have no sensible excuse. When disaster followed in the wake of Cleveland's second election the plea of ignorance could be offered for the false step that had invited the lean four years of misfortune. A similar plea could not be offered in the future, should a majority decide to make the trial of another Democratic administration. In view of past experience such a change would not be from a certainty to an uncertainty; it would be from a certainty of prosperity, industrial activity and good times generally to a certainty of depression, industrial paralysis, general reaction and privation. "I told you so!" could point with accusing and unerring finger to the costly and painful lesson of 1893-97, whose moral had been set at naught, and those who had brought about the new era of wretchedness could offer no palliation for their folly.

Happily all signs point to a continuance of the present fortunate conditions under the guidance of President Taft whose sound, sane and impartial administration of affairs has made these conditions possible. The American people are not going to make a change simply for the sake of change. "From every part of the country comes assurance that the Republican party is gaining in renewed strength every day and will go to the polls in November to roll up a substantial majority for Taft, prosperity and progress."

"We denounce the profligate waste of the money wrung from the people by oppressive taxation through the lavish appropriations of recent Republican congresses, which have kept taxes high and reduced the purchasing power of the people's gold," declared the Democracy in the Baltimore platform. Whereupon that in line out of the way, the Democratic Congress proceeded to pass more appropriation bills, producing a net increase over the last Republican Congress of \$9,533,261.94.

Those political advisers who told Woodrow Wilson to bring the tariff to the front are having the time of their lives.

It was loaded.

Press dispatches say that Candidate Wilson spent Wednesday at Princeton revising his speeches. Revising the tariff out of them, probably.

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Origin of the New York Yacht Club

Shortly after the Revolution, Colonel Stevens purchased Hoboken, which was then an island of swamps and rocky hills, and established the family at Castle point, a beautiful promontory overlooking the Hudson and New York City. John C. Stevens, the father of American yachting, was born there in 1785. There were no ferries in those days, and the Stevens boys of necessity became expert boatmen. At fourteen John C. owned a sailboat of twenty feet length named Diver. As the years passed by he had the schooner Glimmerick built for him by William Caines in Hoboken. This boat is one of the most historic craft of American yachting, since she was the cradle of the New York Yacht club, the organization being accomplished in her cabin only July 30, 1844, the year in which so many of the world's greatest achievements occurred.

On that day John C. Stevens called a meeting of yachtsmen who assembled aboard the Glimmerick and the constitution of the New York Yacht club was drawn up. Strand Magazine.

Anagrams.

The anagram, or transposition of the letters in words or sentences was much in vogue in Greece in the olden times. The Cabalists, or Jewish doctors, thought that the anagram always pointed out a man's destiny, and if his name written backward or transposed in any way spelled a word with meaning they firmly believed it a revelation. The flatterers of James I. of England proved his right to the British monarchy as the descendant of the mythical King Arthur from his name, Charles James Stuart, which becomes "James Arthur's seat." The best anagrams are those which have in the new order of letters some significance appropriate to that from which they are formed. When Pilate asked "Quid est veritas?" (What is truth?) he probably had no idea that his question answered itself, but it did. The transposition made it "Est vir qui adest" (It is the man who is here). Anagrams were written as early as 250 B. C., and their name comes from the Greek words and (backward) and grammatical writing.

W. F. Hennings.

Charleroi, Pa.

AFTER LONG SUFFERING

These Two Women's Health
Restored by Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Com-
pound—Read Their
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"I deeply regret that I did not know of your medicine long before. Friends often speak of the wonderful change in my health, and I tell them the your medicine did it."—Mrs. J. W. Sibley, Cheneyville, La.

Distressing Case of Mrs. M. G. Chicago, Ill.—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound backsache and it has certainly made a woman of me. After my first baby

so weak I could hardly do my duties and suffered with an awful headache. But since I have used the compound the pain in my back has gone and I am strong again."

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Charleroi, Pa.

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in Diagonals, Serges, Whipeords and mixtures—silk and satin lined, trimmed with best braids, and plain. All popular colors. New and conservative styles as well—in Cut-a-way, Modified Cut-a-way, Norfolk, Norfolk Suggestion and Straight Front effects. Exclusive patterns of substantial textures. Priced

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These come in blues, browns, blacks, greys, tans and mixtures, trimmed, some with velvet collars and cuffs, some with checks and plaids, some in plain colors and still others with braids.

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CAME TO CHARLEROI

ON SPECIAL, BUT

STILL HE IS LOST

Only sure that he is here a painter of Uniontown came to his senses at the lockup this morning and wept to be released. The painter it seems felt it necessary to celebrate in honor of the coming of W. J. Bryan to the Fayette county seat Tuesday. While in a dazed condition from the effects of too close communion with the cup that cheers, he climbed aboard the Monongahela valley special train and came to Charleroi. His fine was \$2.85, which he professed himself unable to pay.

CHARLEROI MEMBERS OF GOVERNOR'S AUTO PARTY RETURN HOME

Mrs. A. W. Day and Mrs. E. C. Niver returned Tuesday from a few days' visit at Harrisburg with Governor and Mrs. J. K. Tener. While there they accompanied Governor and Mrs. Tener on an auto trip through the Delaware Water Gap to the Blooming Grove Hunting and Fishing Club in Pike county, where they remained over Sunday. This club, which is maintained by New Yorkers and Philadelphians, is located in the dense forests, in the midst of an enclosed 30,000 acre forest preserve. On the way the party also visited the Egypt Mill Hunting Club on the Delaware and Bushkill Falls, in the Delaware Water Gap, which is called the Niagara of Pennsylvania.

RECEIVES MANY POST CARDS ON 71ST BIRTHDAY

B. N. Sharpneck, a former Rices Landing resident was tendered a post card shower at the home of his son, S. W. Sharpneck, at North Charleroi Tuesday. The affair was in honor of his 71st birthday. In addition to the 150 postcards or more that came from loving friends, Mr. Sharpneck received numerous flowers. His pleasure was unbounded. Four years ago Mr. Sharpneck suffered from his first stroke of paralysis. In December of the year after, he suffered his second stroke, which left him practically helpless.

CLAIM CIGARETS WERE SOLD TO BOYS UNDER 21

The new third-class city of Washington county—Monongahela—is in trouble over the alleged sale of cigarettes to minors and in the enforcement of the Blue Laws. The former offense was discovered when an effort was made to compel the merchants to close their stores on Sundays. It is alleged that there are 17 merchants in the city guilty of selling "coffin-nails" to boys under 21 and Officer Meredith asserts that he has evidence enough to convict 15 of them. The violation of the law carries with it a fine of not less than \$100 and not more than \$200. Some trouble is being experienced with the enforcement of the Blue Laws.

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Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites the readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

Mrs. Robert Hillam of Washington has returned to her home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. R. J. Riley of McKean avenue.

Mrs. Wm. F. Hughes and daughter, Florence, Virginia and Mildred of New Brighton have returned home after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Riley of McKean avenue.

Leslie Cambell is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

C. A. Wilderman is in Waltersburg today to attend a funeral of a relative.

W. D. Fisher attended the Alvin Theatre in Pittsburgh Tuesday night.

Invitations have been received in Charleroi of a dance to be given by the Bazile club of young women of Monessen on October 29, at Monessen.

Miss Anna Vaughn of Atlantic City is visiting friends here.

Miss Augustine Landrin, who visited during the fall in Belgium, has returned to her home in Charleroi. She came over on the steamship Kruonland.

BAPTISTS MEET IN SEMI-ANNUAL RALLY

The semi-annual meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union of the Pittsburgh Baptist Association was held at Monongahela Tuesday afternoon and evening. Delegates were present from all over the district. Representatives present from the from all over the district. Rep. Charleroi B. Y. P. U. were Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Stanley, Mrs. Joseph Shillings, Mrs. C. C. Holyfield, Mrs. A. G. Lewis, Miss Erma Holyfield and Mrs. I. O. Wycoff and daughter Miss Eleanor Wycoff.

INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF KENNEDY SET FOR THURSDAY

The coroner's inquest into the death of David Kennedy, the Vesta miner who was killed by the trolley car last Saturday night will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the office of Deputy Coroner L. B. Frye, of Charleroi. Coroner Heffran will conduct the inquest.

Dance.

A Bingville barn dance and masquerade will be given at the city hall, North Charleroi, Wednesday, October 30. Admission, gentlemen, 50 cents; ladies 10 cents. TS2

Classified Ads.

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